Executive Proclamation

State of South Dakota
Office of the Governor

Whereas, Marilyn Eighmy began working as a secretary for South Dakota State University's College of Pharmacy on July 1, 1969; and,

Whereas, Marilyn has served as secretary or administrative assistant to four deans and has seen the number of faculty increase from less than 10 to over 30 in those 34 years; and,

Whereas, Marilyn has received the Career Service Employee of the Month at SDSU twice during her tenure; and,

Whereas, Marilyn and her husband, Eldon, have two children, Allison and Tara, and three grandchildren; and,

Whereas, Marilyn retired on September 30, 2003, and she will now have more time for her quilting business and caring for her horses; and,

Whereas, Marilyn's colleagues have planned a retirement dinner on October 11, 2003, to celebrate and recognize Marilyn for her commitment to SDSU and the College of Pharmacy:

Now, Therefore, I, M. Michael Rounds, Governor of the state of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim October 11, 2003, as

MARILYN EIGHMY DAY

in South Dakota, and I join with her family and friends in wishing her a happy and healthy retirement.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the state of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this First Day of October in the Year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Three.

M. Michael Rounds, Governor

Attest:

Chris Nelson, Secretary of State